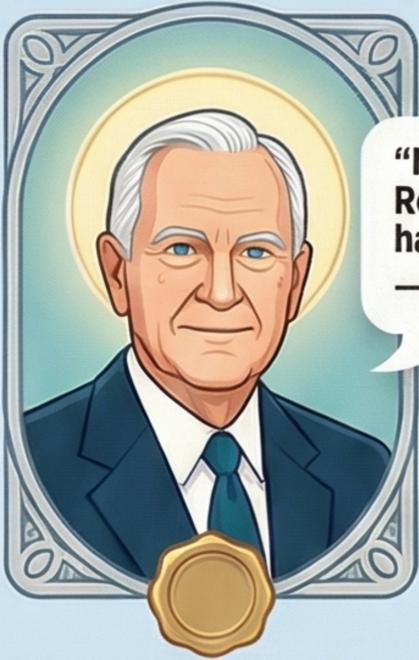


REWRITING REVELATION: How the LDS Doctrine & Covenants Was Changed

The Doctrine & Covenants (D&C) is foundational LDS scripture, presented as direct revelations from God. Comparing the 1835 D&C to its 1833 predecessor, the "Book of Commandments," reveals significant text changes, altering core doctrines and historical narratives.

THE OFFICIAL CLAIM: "Unchanged Words of God"



"None of the early Revelations of the church have been revised."
— Apostle Hugh B. Brown

Specifically stated D&C sections 5 and 7 stand as originally printed.

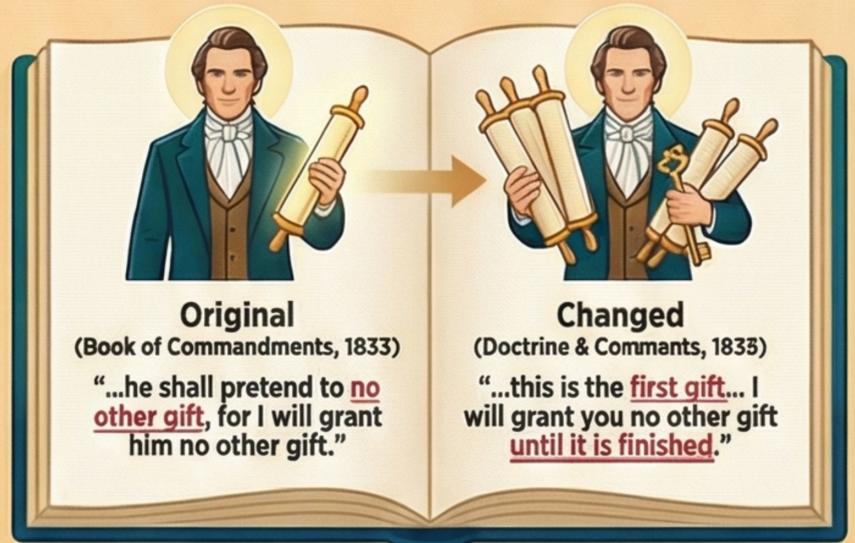


"...there has been no tampering with God's word."
— Apostle John Widtsoe

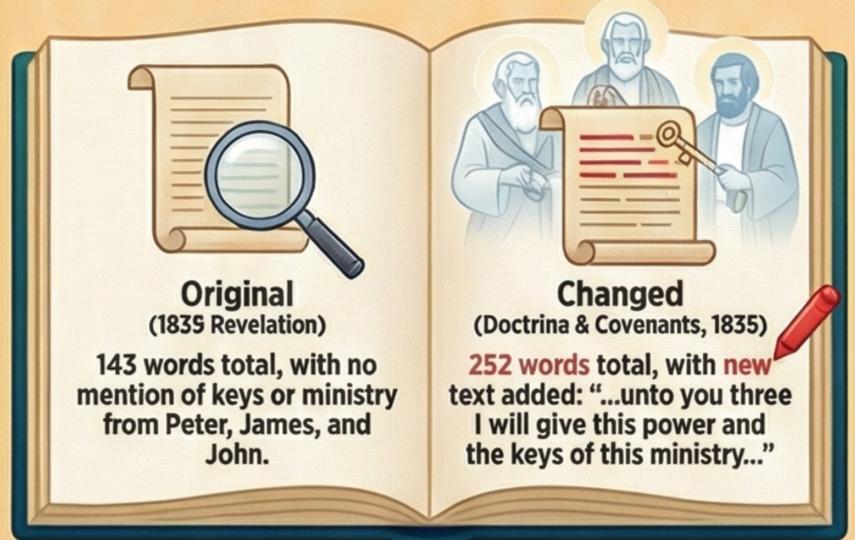
Claimed the whole body of church laws has remained unchanged.

THE DOCUMENTED REALITY: Key Alterations

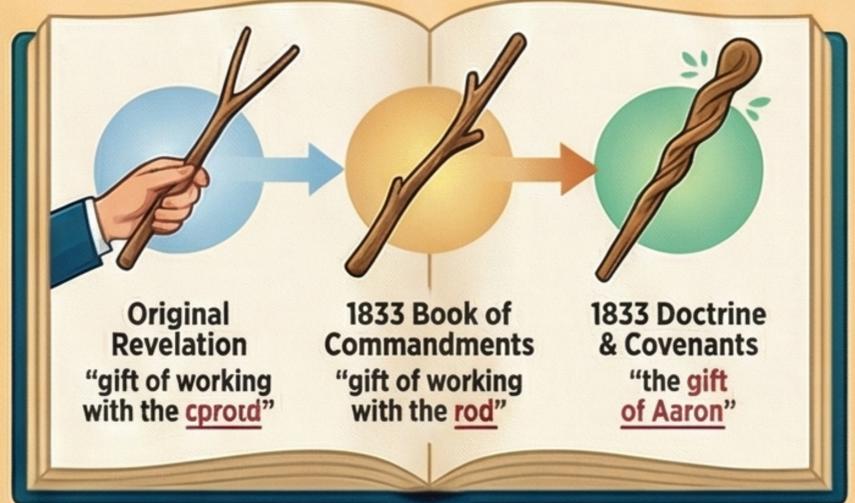
A Prophet's Power Was Expanded (D&C 5)



Priesthood Authority Was Retrofitted (D&C 7)



Folk Magic Origins Were Obscured (D&C 8)



An Anti-Polygamy Revelation Was Deleted

